

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Disciplinary proceedings against Sri K.Madhava Rao, formerly SDPO, Ongole, now working as Addl.SP – Oral Enquiry conducted – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

HOME (SERVICES-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1562

Dated:22/08/2008

Read the following:-

1. From the Director General of Police, A.P. Hyderabad Letter Rc.No.557/O2/2005, dated 14.3.2006.
2. Govt.Memo No.8415/Ser.I/A2/2006-4, dated 31.7.2006.
3. From Sri K.Madhava Rao, Addl.SP, written statement of defence dated 11.9.2006.
4. Govt. Memo No.8415/Ser.I/A2/2006-8, dated 10.5.2007.
5. From Sri K.Madhava Rao, Addl.SP, Explanations dated 11.6.2007 and 7.7.2007.
6. Govt. letter No.8415/Ser.I/A2/2006-10, dated 13.5.2008.
7. From the Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad Letter No.652/ RT-I/3/2008, dated 1.7.2008.

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The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, in his letter 1st read above has brought to the notice of the Government that Sri K.Madhava Rao, the then SDPO, Ongole, deliberately violated the provision of the SC & ST (POA) Rules, 1995, in Cr.No.22/01 u/s 305, 201, 223, 506 and 3(x) of SC/ST Act of Kondepi P.S., and requested to take necessary action.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, an article of charge was issued to Sri K.Madhava Rao, formerly SDPO, Ongole, now Addl.SP, for the following delinquency:-

“Gross negligence of duty and improper investigation in Cr.No.22/01 u/s 305, 201, 223, 506 and 3(x) of SC/ST Act of Kondepi PS. The Hon’ble Special Judge for trial of offences under SCs & STs (POA) Act, 1989, Prakasam District pointed out the failure of prosecution resulting in acquittal of the accused. Thus, you have violated the provisions of sub-rule (1), (2) & (3) of Rule 3 of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.”

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the Charged Officer has submitted his written statements of defence, denying the charge framed against him and requested to drop the proposed disciplinary action by exonerating the charges framed against him.

4. Smt Chandana Khan, IAS, Member COI, who was appointed as Inquiring Authority, has conducted the inquiry and submitted her inquiry report, and held the charge as ‘Proved’ against the charged officer, vide D.O.Letter No.408/CPO-CK/2006, dated 30.4.2007. In the reference 4th read above, a copy of the said inquiry report was communicated to the Charged Officer, inviting his explanation thereon. The Charged Officer has submitted his explanation, and requested the Government to exonerate him from the charge, for the reasons mentioned therein vide reference 5th read above.

5. The Government, after careful examination of the entire matter, have decided to impose penalty of ‘Reduction of in Time Scale of Pay by two stages for two years’ on the charged officer, for the charge held proved and requested the

Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad, to place the matter before the Commission and obtain its concurrence on the proposed penalty against the charged officer, vide reference 6th read above, and communicate the same to Government.

6. The Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad, in his letter 7th cited, has stated that the Commission opined that the Inquiring Authority categorically stated that the charged officer had no malafide intention. Hence no action needs to be taken. Accordingly, Commission advised the Government that the proposed penalty may be dropped against Sri K.Madha Rao, Addl. Superintendent of Police.

7. After careful examination of the entire matter the Government hereby accept the advice of the Andhra Pradesh Public Commission, and accordingly, drop further action against Sri K.Madhava Rao, the then SDPO, Ongole, now working as Addl.Superintendent of Police (NC).

8. The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, is requested to take necessary follow up action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

AJOYENDRA PYAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (I/C)

To
The Individual concerned
through Director General of Police, A.P. Hyderabad
The Director General of Police, A.P. Hyderabad.
Copy to:
The Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.
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